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Title: METHOD FOR MONITORING A MEASURING INSTRUMENT, IN PARTICULAR A FLOW METER AND A MEASURING DEVICE FOR CARRYING OUT SAID METHOD

Examiner: Elias Desta Docket No.: 71828

**Response and Amendment "B"**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 18, 2008, and further in response to the Notification of Non-Compliant amendment dated October 8, 2008, the Applicant responds as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.**
- **Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.**

I hereby certify that this Amendment B of seven (7) total pages is being electronically transmitted by EFS-Web on the date indicated below to Examiner Desta of Group Art unit 2857 of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

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